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Division of Solid Waste Management
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
FOR A SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITY

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM), will conduct a public hearing to receive comments on its tentative decision to issue a solid waste disposal facility major permit modification to E.I. duPont de Nemours & Company for construction, operation, closure, and post-closure care of a modification to the existing Class II Landfill identified as IDL 43-0087, located in Humphreys County, north of U.S. Highway 70, approximately 0.5 miles east of the duPont Johnsonville Plant on duPont property, and approximately one (1) mile north of New Johnsonville, Tennessee, for the disposal of iron-rich co-product waste and wastewater treatment pond's dewatered solids generated at the duPont Johnsonville Plant.

The hearing, which is being scheduled in response to public comments received to date by DSWM, will be held on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 in the City Hall conference room, 323 Long Street, New Johnsonville, TN 37134. From 6:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. CST, citizens are invited to inspect the permit application, draft permit, fact sheet, plans, and other materials. The formal hearing will begin at 7:00 p.m. The DSWM will explain its tentative decision to issue the permit. DSWM will then receive oral comments on the draft permit from the public.

The facility, identified as IDL 43-0087 is located in Humphreys County, north of U.S. Highway 70, approximately 0.5 miles east of the duPont Johnsonville Plant on duPont property, and approximately one (1) mile north of New Johnsonville, Tennessee (latitude 36° 02' 36" N/ longitude 87° 58' 10" W). No hazardous wastes, as regulated by the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101, et. seq.) and the Rules adopted pursuant to the Act, shall be accepted for disposal at this facility. The official responsible for operation of the facility is Harold R. Williams, P.O. Drawer 219, New Johnsonville, TN 37134-0219; telephone: 931-535-7482.

Following an in-depth review of the application, DSWM has made a preliminary determination that this proposal meets the applicable requirements of Tennessee Rule Chapter 1200-1-7, Solid Waste Processing and Disposal. However, due to the volume of public comment received during the designated comment period, which ended on December 26, 2006, a public hearing will be held to further consider this decision. It is the present intent of DSWM, pending consideration of any contrary pertinent technical information received during the hearing, that this permit be issued. The public comment period has been extended, accordingly, to March 8, 2007.

The public is also invited to submit comments in writing to: Mr. Mike Apple, Division of Solid Waste Management, 5th Floor, L&C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243-1535; telephone: 615-532-0780. Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. CST on Tuesday, March 8, 2007, to assure consideration. After considering all public comments, the DSWM Director will issue a final permit decision and a Response to Comments, which can be viewed at the Humphreys County Public Library or at the DSWM Field Office in Nashville, Tennessee.

If you wish to review the data for this proposal or obtain further information prior to the hearing, please contact the DSWM at the TDEC Nashville Environmental Field Office, 711 R.S. Gass Boulevard, Nashville, TN 37243; telephone: 615-687-7000 for local calls, or 1-888-891-8332 toll free. A copy of the data on this proposal may also be viewed at the Humphreys County Public Library, 210 Pavo Avenue, Waverly, TN 37185-1529; telephone: 931-296-2143.

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation is committed to the principles of equal opportunity, equal access, and affirmative action. Individuals with disabilities who wish to participate in these proceedings (or to review these filings) should contact the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such participation. Such contact may be in person, by writing, telephone, or other means, and should be made no less than ten days prior to the scheduled meeting date, or date such party intends to review such filings, to allow time to provide such aid or service. Contact the ADA Coordinator at 1-866-253-5827 for further information. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service, telephone: 1-800-848-0298.

Persons who wish to be on the Division of Solid Waste Management's mailing list should obtain a Mailing List Request form by calling or writing the Public Participation Officer, Division of Solid Waste Management, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, 5th Floor, L & C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville TN 37243-1535, telephone: (615) 532-0798, email: solid.waste@state.tn.us.

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